SUPREME COURT MINUTES THURSDAY, DECEMBER 22, 2011 SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

S191020 E049932 Fourth Appellate District, Div. 2 PEOPLE v. AHMED (AMIR A.)

Opinion filed: Judgment reversed

We reverse the judgment of the Court of Appeal and remand the matter to that court for further proceedings consistent with this opinion.

Majority Opinion by Chin, J.

-- joined by Cantil-Sakauye, C. J., Kennard, Baxter, and Corrigan, JJ.

Concurring Opinion by Liu, J.

-- joined by Werdegar, J.

S171382 A120048 First Appellate District, Div. 4 QUARRY (TERRY) v. DOE 1 Order filed

The request of counsel for appellants in the above-referenced cause to allow two counsel to argue on behalf of appellants at oral argument is hereby granted.

The request of appellants to allocate to Devin M. Storey 10 minutes and Irwin M. Zalkin 20 minutes of appellants' 30-minute allotted time for oral argument is granted.

S197493 B224042 Second Appellate District, Div. 2 PEOPLE v. LE (RICHIE OUANG)

Order filed

The order filed on December 21, 2011, signed by Cantil-Sakauye, C. J., Kennard, Baxter, Chin, Corrigan, and Liu, JJ., ordering review on the court's own motion is hereby amended to read in its entirety:

Review is ordered on the court's own motion. The issue to be briefed is limited to the following: In the absence of expert testimony or a stipulation that MDMA/Ecstasy was a controlled substance or an analog of a controlled substance, did the CA correctly hold that substantial evidence did not support defendant's convictions? For purposes of briefing and oral argument, the People are deemed the petitioner in this court. (Cal. Rules of Court, rule 8.520(a)(6).) Werdegar, J., was absent and did not participate.